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THE UNSEATED LANDS

Of Fayette County Being Transferred to County Treasurer's Docket.

AN EQUITY HEARING POSTPONED.

Grand Jurors and First Week Petit Jurors Drawn by Commissioners for the June Term of Criminal Court Routine Business

Uniontown April 17—Clerk Oliver C Chick of the county commissioners office is now at work transferring the lists of unseated lands to the treasurers docket The data is taken from the returns of the various assessors of the county who are provided with blanks especially intended for this purpose These officials are expected to return all land unseated where the ownership is in dispute or where there is nothing on the property which may be sold for the taxes After the docket has been completed and returned to the treasurer the taxes may be paid to him If this is not done such properties are exposed to sale These sales take place every two years By far the largest list returned this year comes from Bullskin township and for the most part is made up of Hammondville lots There are possibly 100 of these now on the list

The county commissioners went over to Greensburg Thursday to meet the Westmoreland county commissioners and consult with reference to letting the contract for the proposed new bridge over Jacobs creek at Keisters mill one mile west of Scottdale The time for receiving bids expired at noon Thursday and it was their intention to let the contracts if any acceptable bids were made They returned home on the evening train

The hearing which was to have taken place Wednesday in the equity case wherein the Ionmente Glass Company was plaintiff and the State Line Natural Gas Company defendant was again postponed by agreement of the parties interested The costs to date on the rule issued March 5 upon which the hearing was to have been held are to be paid by the defendant company

Jury Commissioners Harbert and Parkhill got together Thursday and drew the following jurors for the June term of criminal court

Grand Jurors—John G Allen farmer North Union 1 Chester Green clerk Dunbar 2 Jonah Livengood farmer Wharton 2 Jacob Shuffer carpenter Saltlick Newton Leonard blacksmith Wharton 1 James B Larner carpenter Fayette City Arthur Morris clerk Connellsville 2 Samuel Basley carpenter Connellsville 1 Walter Snyder miner Dunbar 2 Robert W Lang agent Belle Vernon 1 P Shearer farmer Jefferson 1 Oliver Hart laborer Georges 2 John G Smith carpenter Dunbar David Williams merchant Dunbar George W Hess farmer Redstone Charles Stafford painter Connellsville 4 David S Richie gentleman S Union 2 Charles Garwood laborer Bridgeport Ewing Bates laborer Perry 2 Robert E Flannerty laborer Connellsville 2 Albert Johnson farmer Georges 4 Marion Umbel laborer Markleysburg William McCombs liveryman Menallen 2 John W Wood section boss N Union 2

Petit Jurors First Week—Wellington Anderson tailor Uniontown 4 George Bambrey blacksmith Upper Tyrone Harry Browning farmer Franklin Joseph Baker yard boss Dunbar 1 Harry Bremen bookkeeper Upper Tyrone 1 Marcellus Burnworth farmer Henry Clay 2 Isaac Lee Barton clerk Uniontown 4 Henry Bird farmer Henry Clay 1 Walter M Brown engineer Bullskin 1 Elmer J Bitner miner Bullskin 1 Allen Blackford barber Uniontown Thomas O Craig farmer North Union 1 Jasper Chick merchant Chalkville Marion Conoway farmer Wharton John H Clark farmer North Union 1 Elias Cunningham farmer Lower Tyrone 1 Sheridan Crawford laborer South Union 1, Evan L Cramer engineer North Union 1 Charles E Dick laborer North Union 1 John H Darby bricklayer Springhill Leander A Dillmer potter Nicholson 2 James M Donnell marble cutter South Union 2 Thomas Dave farmer German John B Early laborer Springfield 1 Emanuel Franks farmer Luzerne Enos P Fields tinner Uniontown 1 George Freeman motorman Connellsville township 1 Alvin Fetz farmer Franklin 2 Gaddis L Fields carpenter Uniontown John L Flemmis carpenter Connellsville 2 Hiram Grim gentleman Fairchance William Graham teamster Connellsville Gorley Ewing farmer Uniontown Ray Griffith farmer Georges Dennis Grogan laborer Upper Tyrone 1 Henry Handlin laborer North Union 1 Simon P Hager farmer Wharton 1 John Huffman carpenter German Kennedy Ewing Hough farmer Fayette City Westley Harn teamster Uniontown 3 Charles Harah merchant Uniontown William Hobbs clerk Dunbar Solomon Hodges farmer Fayette City Cyrus Kroner carpenter South Union Conger Lynch engineer Uniontown Albert Land farmer Dunbar Nelson Martin farmer Perry Bile Martin teamster North Union Lee McKee salesman North Union 4 Barnes McMannis engineer Connellsville Jasper McMullen farmer Springfield Henry W Miller liveryman Connellsville 1 Joseph B McClain pilot Point Marion 3 Oliver Newmyer clerk Dunbar Henry C Neal Jr baby roller Uniontown 4 Henry R Pirl farmer Springfield 1 Barthold Reitler police Connellsville Wilham Rankin jumper Dunbar John D Shaw merchant Georges William P Scarlett farmer Stewart Lester Swina laborer Bullskin Isaac Stoner farmer Dunbar James Steele merchant South Union 1 Oliver J Stewart section boss Brownsville George Welby merchant Perry George W Williams laborer South Union John Wallack mill worker Upper Tyrone 1 Norman Washington farmer Bullskin 2 Samuel Wells pressman North Union 4 Evans Young undertaker Belle Vernon

DOUBLE TRACK

To Be Built from Connellsville on the Sheepskin

The Morgantown New Dominion surveys have been made by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and right of way has been secured for double tracking the Pittsburg Pittsburg Clarksburg Richmond line from Connellsville to Smithfield 20 miles This will enable them to double track the line from Connellsville to Smithfield The work of ballasting and laying the second track will be commenced at Connellsville and the same should be in fine condition for use by the first of July

No tax levy was made before the commissioners this part of the county from Fairchance will be laid out in the form of a Griffin and then over Mount Braddock This route was principally based on the improvement and convenience to the traveling public

Now that the line is almost completed the Fairmont Clarksburg and Western division will supply a local traffic on the Smithfield branch to Belleville with Connellsville as the shortest haul The West Smithfield will be improved thereby This will include numerous wharves and cutting off hills The coal traffic is enormous and the Baltimore & Ohio officials are completing the facilities to handle it The line run through Dunbar Uniontown and Fairchance three important traffic centers

UNIONTOWN LIGHT

It is Said Will Be Supplied from Connellsville

The United Light Company which furnishes light and heat to Uniontown it is said will at an early date abandon its plant near the B & O depot if a satisfactory arrangement can be effected with the borough Council whereby it will not lose its charter The United Light Company is controlled by the same interests that have charge of the Pittsburg McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company and now that the immense powerhouse above Gibson is completed the electricity for Uniontown will be supplied from there

It is said that the only obstacle in the way is an uncertainty as to whether the charter will be revoked by Council Every customer having a motor would have to change from the direct to the alternating current In case the plant closed down and this would cause no little expense and trouble

The same condition applies to Connellsville New Haven and all the towns where the local plants have been taken over

DUNBAR VS YORKS

The Base Ball Season in Connellsville Opens April 25

The base ball season in Connellsville will be opened on Saturday April 25 when the first Dunbar team will cross bats with the Yorks of this place Dunbar has a good team this season and have been putting in hard practice for the opening game On the other hand the Yorks have about the same lineup as last year and for some time have been shaping up for the opening of the season

Arrangements are now being made for permanent grounds either at New Haven or South Connellsville which the local ball players expect to put in fine condition when they will give the people their money's worth by putting up good exhibitions of base ball Several teams have already been given dates and among the e are a number of traveling aggregations

W Va G A R Encampment

The state encampment of the W Va G A R will be held in Clarksburg April 29 and 3 The Woman's Relief Corps will also meet at the same time

THE SEWER TAX TO GO

Likely at Special Meeting of Town Council This Evening.

IT WAS CONSIDERED LAST NIGHT.

At a Special Session When It Was Agreed to Have the New Ordinance Drawn Today—Tippage Rate of $50 Will Be Fixed

A special meeting of Town Council was held last night The meeting was called by President George Porter for the purpose of considering sewer matters levying a tax for the ensuing year and talking matters over with the new borough engineer Edward J O'Brien Another meeting has been called for this evening but for the same purpose with the exception of the borough engineer's work Mr O'Brien went over the borough records in part last night and offered some suggestions in the line of his work One was that Connellsville should have room in its sewer the same as is done in all towns of its importance and all extensive improvements The borough should have a map showing the monuments as placed for point were located and that the same should be in the Council Chamber work right up to date for ready reference

No tax levy was made before at some evening the part of the sewer fund from fund will be [illegible] tippage tax [illegible] $50 [illegible] for [illegible] Council [illegible] Council [illegible] Council

LEGISLATURE'S FINIS.

Shortest Session of Assembly Since Adoption of Constitution.

DISTRIBUTION OF MANY GIFTS.

Commission to St Louis Appointed

One Death Occurred During Session

and Two Members Were Unseated

New Capitol Ready for Next Session

Harrisburg April 17—The Pennsylvania legislature [illegible] concluded its business and [illegible] finally after having held the shortest session since the adoption of the new constitution

The closing proceedings were marked by the [illegible] distribution of gifts among the officers and employes of the house and the presentation of a handsome silver service to Senator John M Scott of Philadelphia retiring president pro tem of the senate

Senator William C Sproul of Delaware was elected president pro tem he being the choice of the Republican caucus and Senator J K P Hall, of Elk the Democratic nominee

Speaker Walton was the recipient of a beautiful grandfathers clock on the pendulum of which is engraved the names of every member of the house He was also presented with an ebony gavel by Chief Clerk Garvin and other choice gifts by individual members of the house The presentation speeches began when the house reassembled at 11 o clock and at the close of these ceremonies word was sent to the senate that the house was ready to adjourn

A committee was appointed from the bodies to notify the governor that the business of the session was concluded and shortly after 12 o clock the session closed

Speaker Walton announced the appointees of the house to the Pennsylvania commission to St Louis They are as follows McClain of Lancaster Wayne of Chester Hamilton of Philadelphia, Kirker of Allegheny Stilb of Philadelphia Hartman of Luzerne Cooper of Indiana Ulrich of Dauphin Heler of Columbia Hoy of Clarion

Upon this announcement Speaker Walton formally declared the session of the house for 1903 adjourned sine die

The legislature organized on Jan 6 without special incident and two weeks later the change in the state administration occurred and United States Senator Penrose was re elected for a full term of six years During the session one member Dr D M Anderson of Washington county died and two members Representatives Blumle, of Cameron and Ferry of Luzerne Democrats were unseated

Scores of men have been working ever since the opening of the session on the construction of the new capitol which will cost $4,000 000 and be completed by January 1906 The contractors began tearing out the interior of the present building and they expect to have the new capitol practically completed before the opening of the legislative session two years hence

COINAGE OF PHILIPPINE MONEY.

Philadelphia Mint Has Ready for Shipment Millions of Pieces

Philadelphia April 17—There are ready for shipment to the Philippine islands 2 500 000 pesos which were coined at the Philadelphia mint in the last 25 working days

The coinage in this case is equal to the minting of the same number of American dollars and it thus required the handling on an average of 100 000 pesos daily for the 25 days During this time the mint also added to the Philippine coinage 9 100 000 pieces of bronze valued at $91 000 and 3,600 000 nickels valued at $180 000

Superintendent Landis said the amount of work done was remarkable when it is taken into consideration the recent depletion of the force

End of Revolution

Panama April 17—After the recent revolution in Colombia had been brought to an end a few members of the band headed by an Indian named Victoriano Lorenzo remained in the mountains of the province of Coole and from their retreat often descended and committed assaults on travelers Government troops were sent after them and as a result of a short engagement they were captured Lorenzo's lieutenant was killed while the others captured were tried by court martial and shot

Pugilist Fined for Assault

Boston April 17—A fine of $100 was imposed on Corne Corbett the pugilist [illegible] having been pronounced guilty of assault upon Peter Maher with whom he recently fought before a club [illegible] The most interesting [illegible] the [illegible] as it [illegible] [illegible] the author [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] the court [illegible] not interfere

Miners Injured by Explosion

Wilkes-Barre April 17—A premature explosion in No 3 shaft of the Pennsylvania Coal company [illegible] seriously injured four miners all Russians

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town

Graustark

Harry D Kurtz returned last night to Morgantown

There is no place like The Fair for millinery or suits

A marriage license was granted at Uniontown this week to John Garner and Miss Annie Bellamy both of Connellsville

There [illegible] public sale [illegible] Kobacker [illegible] Greenland block Sale [illegible] P M

Borough Engineer Edward F O Brien has moved his office into City Hall The borough maps and papers are being transferred to the new office

Those who have [illegible] the [illegible] should not fail to hear [illegible] concert company at City Hall April [illegible]

About fifty [illegible] Easter reception given by [illegible] Bluebird [illegible] Wm [illegible] Dancing was indulged in until [illegible]

[illegible] Connellsville [illegible] Conservatory of Music Concert Company [illegible] Library Hall April [illegible] Mason's music store

George [illegible] was [illegible] from Morgantown Thursday He says the history of South Connellsville [illegible] begun and that in the near future it will be Greater Connellsville [illegible] industrial suburb

California and Coal Center boroughs are offering prizes for the best kept homes in the two towns The scheme is to stimulate interest in nicely kept lawns and pretty residences The same [illegible] might improve some part of Connellsville

Farmers are greatly behind with their spring work owing to the recent wet weather But little ploughing is done yet It is said that even grass which got such an early start this spring is now at a standstill owing to the cold and excessive rains

The Southern conference of the Pittsburg synod of the Lutheran church will convene in St Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church [illegible] Uniontown April 20 Ministers from all over the conference district will be present and the conference will extend over two days

Alva Hoffman formerly [illegible] of the Humbert plant of the American Tin Plate Company was in town Thursday shaking hands with his old friends and looking over the town Mr Hoffman is now with an electrical supply company and divides his time between Pittsburg and New York [illegible] for some [illegible] now

[illegible]

[illegible] will be held this evening [illegible] with ribbons will [illegible] and to all possible [illegible] the [illegible] Dancing will be the amusement of the evening and will be indulged in just as long as the guests desire [illegible] Saturday morning

PUGILISTIC ENCOUNTER IN COURT

Attorneys Come to Blows in Chase Guardianship Case—Doctors Pronounce Young Man Insane

Lafayette Ind April 17—There was a fist fight in the circuit courtroom between Attorneys Dan Simms representing Fred Chase father of Moses Fowler Chase and A L Kumler representing Mr and Mrs Charles Dubme of Cincinnati who are struggling for the possession of young Chase the millionaire The attorneys had met for a conference with the judge as to what should be done with Moses F Chase pending the hearing of the guardianship case Kumler denounced the attorneys on the other side and also Chase's father and declared that Moses Fowler Chase had been brought to Indiana from France by force and fraud

He had further asserted that the unfortunate young man was put on exhibition at the law offices of Chase's attorneys when ex Judge L P Hammond shouted

"That's an absolute falsehood

Attorney Simms jumped from his seat and approached Kumler who tried to ward him off Simms then landed a fierce right hand swing on Kumler's jaw and followed it with his left Both blows landed Kumler protecting himself as best he could

The courtroom was crowded and lawyers court officials and spectators sprang toward the combatants and dragged them apart The judge fined Simms $25 for striking the first blow and this quieted matters

Simms then apologized and Kumler asked the court to remit the fine as he said he felt sure that Simms struck in a moment of temper The court remitted the fine and directed that Moses Fowler Chase remain in the court's jurisdiction with the understanding that Mr and Mrs Dubme [illegible] and [illegible] not to interfere with him

Doctors examined young Chase and pronounced him insane They declare [illegible] answers to the most simple questions were incoherent although he [illegible] perfectly sane when [illegible] of the train

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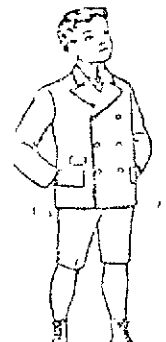

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Mattings.

[illegible] Matting 15c quality our price 12c

Cotton Chain Matting [illegible] quality our price 19c

Fancy and attractive patterns Cotton Chain Matting real value 30c our price today only 23c

Oil Cloth.

2 yds wide Oil Cloth real value 65c our price 50c

1½ yds wide Oil Cloth real value 50c our price 38c

1 yd wide Oil Cloth real value 35c our price 25c

2 yds wide extra heavy Linoleum regular price $1.25 our price today per yd $1

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Ladies 26 In 49c 69c $1.25 and $1.49 worth 75c to $2.00

Mens 28 In 75c and 98c worth $1.00 and $1.50

Window Blinds.

Felt in green color value 10c our price 8c

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We ask the special attention of housekeepers to our large and new stock of CURTAINS all elegant and new patterns direct from the looms Prices from 29c pair to $2.48

Ruffled Curtains sold at 50c pair our price 29c

2½ yd Curtains fine patterns value 75c our price per pair 50c

3 yd Curtains choice styles real value 75c our price per pair 59c

Lace Curtains elegant for low price value $1.00 our price per pair 75c

3 yd Curtains this spring's newest patterns real value $1.50 now $1.20

3½ yd Curtains finest ever offered for the price real value $1.75 our price $1.48

Wall Paper.

The rush continues for our elegant papers We mention a few prices today

2½c per bolt Regular price 5c per bolt

5c bolt for bright and attractive patterns real value 8c

7½c per bolt Attractive—all styles Worth 10 and 12c

10c per bolt Nothing equals this selection Worth 15c

[illegible] Paper our price per bolt 25c

The latest designs in new effects ranging in price from 2½c bolt to [illegible] 30c per bolt

Soaps.

[illegible] Soap 8 bars 2[illegible]
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A REPRESENTATIVE GATHERING.

Irish Wit and Eloquence Sustains Its Reputation—Comments from Audience Quite General—Conference to Be Held Saturday.

Dublin April 17—By a unanimous vote the Irish National convention accepted in principle the Irish land bill introduced in the house of commons by Mr Wyndham chief secretary for Ireland and entrusted to John Redmond and his party the task of securing in the house of commons that serious amendment in various points of vital importance which the National convention may consider essential The convention will outline the shape that the amendments should take and on Saturday Lord Dunraven Lord Mayo Captain Shaw Taylor John Redmond William O Brien and T W Russell are likely to meet at a round conference table to discuss the landlord and tenants' opinions on the land bill and try to arrive at a common basis of parliamentary action

The proceedings at the convention revealed discontent with various features of the bill but nothing so serious as to indicate a danger of its ultimate rejection Even Michael Davitt who had an opportunity of dividing the delegates into two bitterly opposing camps and who amidst dramatic excitement subordinated his own views pledged himself to abide by the verdict John Redmond and William O Brien triumphed over all objections Indeed the objectors save Michael Davitt were scarcely given a hearing by the delegates

An Enthusiastic Audience

Every available seat in the round room of the mansion house was taken by the delegates who surged up the aisles in a solid mass and overflowed the surrounding rooms For six hours without a break the delegates sat or stood listening to the speeches of their leaders spiritual and political Not for many a day has such a representative gathering been seen in Dublin Irish wit and eloquence lived up to its reputation Speaker after speaker brought the audience to that pitch of enthusiasm where hats were thrown up and men stood upon the chairs yelling with delight When a platform speaker failed to please, comments from the audience supplied an impetus to the motions The crowd was irrepressible Old men white haired relics of the land league young farmers rising factors in the United Irish league fresh from the fields of Connaught and Munster country councillors priests young and old rose constantly from their seats to hurl some interjection of approval or otherwise at the speaker The force of habit was far too strong to prevent the sons of the soil from cheering madly when some speaker referred to the landlords as blood suckers which not infrequently brought the response from the body of the hall To hell with them Good man The audience would shout when William O Brien Michael Davitt or some other popular orator voiced the prevailing sentiment

Great Welcome for Russell

Throughout the day this gathering of Irish tenants so picturesque, so terribly earnest so swayed by the eloquence of the Irish leaders never ceased to make a fit setting for the heroic epithets in which the speakers describe the convention and the issues depending on its decision Through all the various waves of emotion John Redmond sat in the chair impassive and keeping order 'like Parnell ' as an old Nationalist said His head was constantly endangered by the swinging hands and arms of the speakers William O'Brien and Michael Davitt were the heroes of the hour T W Russell the Ulster member who unexpectedly appeared in the hall received a great welcome from his former opponents Much significance is attached to his presence as he is not a member of the Nationalist party

"Eager for peace but ready for war in case the English wish to continue" was, to quote one speaker the keynote of the convention

King Will Visit Rome

Rome April 17—King Edward will arrive at Naples on April 25 remaining there until April 27, when he will come to Rome He will stay here two days leaving on April 2[?] for Paris Neither the British embassy nor the vatican has yet received any information as to the king's intentions regarding the suggested visit to Pope Leo The archbishop of Malta has been charged to continue the work begun by the papal nuncio at Lisbon of fostering the advisability of King Edward meeting the head of the Catholic church

Want Damages for Lynching

Indianapolis April 17—Suit for $5 000 damages against John S Dudley sheriff of Sullivan county, and his bondsmen was filed in the United States court by Fannie Bush of Tennessee administratrix of the estate of James Dillard the negro who was taken from Sheriff Dudley by a mob and lynched at Sullivan, Ind last November

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town

Graustarl

Frost this morning

Spring is getting another inning

To look your very best for Easter don a suit or hat from The Fair

Jervis Stark and S P Her both of Ohiopyle were in town Thursday

Sixteen to one is a fair estimate in styles we show in comparison with other suit and skirt lines The Fair

Among the Uniontown visitors in town Wednesday were R H Cain O H Shoemaker R L Fetter and Frank Springer

The Ithaca concert company is considered far superior to any like company traveling Seats on sale at Mason's music store

Valuable business property to be offered at public sale tomorrow on the premises in front of Rosenblum & Silverman's store M Kobacker & Pro

Fayette Council No [illegible] Royal Arcanum has sent a check for $2000 to Mrs W H Maust of New Haven that being the amount of the policy held by her husband the late William H Maust in the order

See us about that new spring suit The very best and lowest priced tailors in town M Cohen & Son removed to room directly opposite their old place formerly occupied by Palace Bakery Dyeing cleaning and repairing

Dr T H White was in Philadelphia Monday and saw Dr G W Gallagher at the Presbyterian Hospital where a difficult operation was performed on him recently Dr Gallagher is doing nicely and hopes for his speedy recovery are assured

Little Thomas Flenniken who was injured by being run over by a buggy on Pittsburg street three weeks ago is improving rapidly and will be able to be out before long His injuries were not so serious as was at first supposed and his recovery has been unusually rapid

The farm of J P Pov[illegible] formerly the Cun[illegible] farm consisting of 114 acres in Dunbar township already rused at public sale Wednesday was postponed on account of the weather As the order of sale [illegible] granted by the court before [illegible] day can be set [illegible]

Constable [illegible] was in the vicinity of Indian Creek W[illegible] on official business and says the banks of that stream were [illegible] with trout fishermen While Indian Creek is not classed among the best trout streams still there is considerable good fishing in some parts of its turbulent course

An information was made by Conductor [illegible] of the Pittsburg McKeesport & Connellsville railway against Joseph Ranson and Daniel Brey two colored men who raised a disturbance on a Leisenring division car Wednesday evening Both were held for court before Justice of the Peace Morgan of New Haven today

Connellsville policemen and ex policemen are anxiously awaiting the result of license court to see whether or not the court will demand that Connellsville saloons be guarded by special policemen If such an order results a number of applications will be filed at once as the hotel positions are considered more desirable than patrol duty

MINNESOTA FLOUR MILLS CLOSE

Discrimination in Rates Against Flour Responsible—Mills Operated at Loss

Minneapolis April 17—The Northwestern Miller says

Every flour mill in Minneapolis and practically all of the merchant spring wheat mills in Minnesota and the northwest are shut down entirely and will cease turning out flour for an indefinite period This act has been forced upon the millers by the conditions surrounding the manufacture and sale of flour

For some time owing to the price of cash wheat, the high rates of freight and the depressed state of the flour markets mills have been operating at a loss but the crowning disadvantage which has paralyzed the milling industry throughout the northwest was the act of the line boats operating between Duluth and Buffalo in moving wheat on a basis of 2 cents per bushel while the present proportionate rate on flour from Duluth to Buffalo is maintained at 9 cents per 100 pounds equivalent to 5 4 cents a bushel The transportation lines have told the millers that under the operation of the Elkins bill they need not anticipate any discrimination in rates against flour but the action of the line boats in making this 2 cent rate on wheat shows that such an assurance was meaningless Until freight rates on the manufactured product shall be placed on a parity with those given the raw material or until the 2 cent rate given wheat shall be advanced the millers will find it impossible to grind and unless something shall occur to improve the milling situation the prospects are that the practically universal shutdown of the merchant spring wheat mills will be indefinitely prolonged

Smugglers Arrested

New York April 17—Antonio and Luigi Porgio brothers first class passengers on the steamer Palatia which arrived from Naples were arrested as they were leaving the steamer and jewelry valued at $4 000 was seized The custom officers said each man had around his waist a canvas belt in which were 96 watches In their pockets was other jewelry including a diamond ring valued at $1 000 other watches earrings and silverware The brothers are held in $1 000 bail each for appearance on Monday

SIX STORES.

UNIONTOWN, PA
CONNELLSVILLE PA
PUNXSUTAWNEY PA
SPRING MILLS, PA
CAMBRIDGE, O.
STEUBENVILLE, O

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The Entire Stock is New, consisting of goods of very late patterns and styles, arriving every day from the eastern markets We are unable to create prices at present but desire that you call at our store on the opening day that we may convince you of the quality of our goods and lowness of our prices.

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SAMUEL KINSBURSKY, Mgr.

Cor. Apple & Water Sts , Connellsville, Pa.

Only Clothing Store on Water Street.

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A continuous production for ninety-three (93) years.

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It needs no advertising——known the world over.

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Ohio—Fair Friday and Saturday with slowly rising temperature, fresh north to east winds.

Western Pennsylvania—Fair, Saturday fair and warmer, fresh north to east winds.

West Virginia—Fair, Saturday fair and warmer.

THE SALUS LIBEL BILL

The Salus libel bill was not conceived for the protection of the public but for the special benefit of the politicians. The bill in addition to ordinary rights of action in cases of alleged libel provides that action may be brought against the proprietor, owner, publisher or managing editor and "if it shall be shown that the publication complained of resulted from negligence on the part of the owner, proprietor or managing editor in the ascertainment of the facts or in the publication thereof compensatory damages may be recovered for injuries to business and reputation resulting from such publication as well as damages for the physical and mental suffering endured by the injured party or parties." This cause of action is now enlarged by the following amendment:

Whenever in any such action it shall be shown that the matter complained of is libelous and that such libelous matter has been given special prominence by the use of pictures, cartoons, headlines, displayed type or any matter calculated specially to attract attention, the jury shall have the right to award punitive damages against the defendant or defendants.

This section is undoubtedly aimed at newspaper comment upon politicians, for it is only in such case that cartoons and typographical display are a feature of the publication, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. The animus of the measure is here fully revealed. Politicians who are indifferent to ordinary strictures wince under the cartoon and the displayed headlines of newspaper articles. Even Tweed it may be remembered used to remark that he didn't care what the papers said about him, but he did like to stop the cartoons. Some Pennsylvania politicians evidently agree with Tweed and what he failed to do they are trying to effect. The bill creates a special offense and provides special rights of action for the politicians. It is class legislation of the worst type.

Somerfield

Somerfield, April 16.—Miss Edna Endsley is visiting friends in New York.

Daniel Herring is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary Easter, who has been sick for some time, is on the mend.

C. L. Dean and Miss Belle Frey spent Sunday at Mineral Springs, Pa.

Julius Butler and family spent Sunday with friends in Mockson.

P. B. Protzman is visiting friends in Markleysburg.

Arthur Rush stopped here on Sunday on his way to Addison from Uniontown.

Miss Alice Jackson of Ohiopyle is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. S. McNutt.

Frank Conway, chief clerk for the H. C. Frick Coke Company at Broaddock, spent Easter with his parents.

Floyd Dean is visiting friends at Homestead.

COMFORTING WORDS

Many a Connellsville Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed, to be entirely free from annoying dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Connellsville readers.

Mr. John P. Skinner, proprietor of the hardware and plumbing business at 127 North Pittsburg street, says: "I had pains through the small of my back and over the kidneys, caused no doubt by indiscretion in lifting and hauling heavy goods which is often necessary in our business. My back was bothering me greatly when I happened to think about Doan's Kidney Pills, and I got them at J. C. Moore's drug store. I took but a few doses when my back felt better, and inside of a few days the pain left me entirely."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute. 7

Automobile Gear, 1903, Go-Carts AND Carriages

We have our complete line displayed now ready for your inspection, all equipped with the large rubber cushion tires, the wheels all of one size. The new "Auto Gear," as it is called, is a great improvement over the old style gearing, because it admits of hardly any jolting. We guarantee our prices to be lower than any house in the city when you consider make, style and finish of the Carriages and Go-Carts.

Corner Pittsburg and Apple Sts.

The Aaron Co.

Successors to . . . . . I. AARON.

Connellsville, Pa.

Bakery

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Cigar and News Depot.

[illegible]

Contractor and Builder.

[illegible]

Dyeing and Cleaning

[illegible]

Electrical Contractor.

[illegible]

Hotels

[illegible]

Liverymen.

[illegible]

Marble Yard.

[illegible]

Milk.

[illegible]

Plumbing and Gas Fitting

[illegible]

Real Estate

[illegible]

Roofers

[illegible]

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A Modern Cafe for Ladies and Gentlemen.
BISHOP & JENNINGS, Props.

Sweeney's Tonsorial Parlors,
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The Best Shave in Town. Expert Barbers. First Class Barbers.
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J. H. RISBECK,
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and REAL ESTATE AGENT,
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First National Bank Building.

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Osteopathic Physician
Graduate of American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. Treats all diseases both acute and chronic. Consultation free. Rooms 403 & 404, First Nat'l Bank Bldg., Connellsville, Pa.

The Imperial Billiard and Bowling Rooms,
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A resort for gentlemen and high class men.
Everything New. First Class.

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M. S. KREGER, Prop.
Next Door to Postoffice.
ALL KINDS OF MEATS.
Fresh, Salt and Smoked.

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SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED.
For the next 60 days only I will repair any kind of sewing machine for 75 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call 1142 or address postal. Line left at the house, 115 W. Apple St., Connellsville, Pa.

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We have them in all the very latest novelties. A beautiful line that was selected carefully for this occasion. Call and see what we have for the graduates.
A. B. KURTZ.

F. L. Roccreto's
TONSORIAL SALON.
Most complete in the county. Four Barbers. No Waiting. Courteous Treatment. Face Massage a Specialty. Shower and Tub Bath in connection.
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
Basement of Porter Block, N. Pittsburg Street.

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Direct from the Manufacturer. It saves the Jobber's and Retailer's profit. Send for samples at once. Give full particulars. Samples Free. Address
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WELKER & SONS,
Practical Plumbers, Tinners and Steam Fitters.
All work guaranteed first-class in all respects. Estimates will be furnished cheerfully on any work in our line. Hurry-up jobs will be promptly attended to.
332 Eighth St., Connellsville, Pa.

Always Look for Our Ad.
You will find announcements here from time to time that will be interesting.
Watch Repairing
is given the strictest attention and all work guaranteed.
C. L. CLARKE,
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DISEASES OF MEN.
Office Hours 10 A. M. to 8 P. M.
Markell Building,
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CONNELLSVILLE THEATRE.
FRED ROBBINS, Manager.
Saturday, Apr. 18.
Matinee and Night.
The Great Show of the Day. The Original and Only
BARLOW & WILSON'S Greater New York Minstrels
Ten Skillful Dancers. 10 Cultured Singers. 10 Pickaninnies. 12 Specialties. 21 Grand Military Band. 10 Solo Orchestra. The swell parade of the Minstrel world.
PRICES:
Night 25, 35, 50 & 75c
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Seats at Clarke's. Phone 245.

PLUMBERS' DEMANDS.

Secretary of Local Union States Their Case With Employers.

NO HALF HOLIDAY IS ASKED

On Saturdays He Says and Comparisons Are Made with Plumbers in Other Towns—No Ironclads Are in Effect

To the Editor of The Daily Courier In a recent issue of your valuable paper there were statements made regarding the demands made by the Plumbers Union of Connellsville in which the Master Plumbers Association claim inconsistencies exist and other statements which do not come within the line of facts In the matter of an agreement which we are supposed to have violated we know nothing If said agreement exists it is not signed by any officer or officers of Local Union No 289 and again if the secretary of the Master Plumbers Association would go carefully over the demands recently handed him he would fail to see therein the demand made for a half holiday for Saturday And as stated if local conditions affect the proposed rule concerning the work of tinners it will only affect those master plumbers who do tinning work in connection with plumbing work and who do not make any effort to get plumbers to do their work Why? Because if they can use their tinners or other workmen of a cheaper class to do a makeshift job of plumbing which does not come within the boundaries of skillful or sanitary plumbing they will not employ a plumber Consequently it brings forth the local conditions which are said to exist as in the matter of cutting prices among plumbing contractors If the prices received for work in Connellsville will not justify the wage advance asked for why do plumbing contractors in the surrounding towns carry on a flourishing business paying from $3 50 to $3 75 per day at an eight hour day and a half holiday for Saturdays They do a better class of work and better conditions exist for the journeymen plumbers And again there are no specific parts of the demands that are ironclad If there is any ironclad business about it it pertains to the whole matter

(Signed) O W Kauffman

BOWMAN--BOYD.

Prominent Young People of Uniontown Married Wednesday Evening

A wedding of interest to people throughout Western Pennsylvania was celebrated in the First Presbyterian Church Uniontown Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock when Miss Elizabeth Boyd only daughter of ex Senator and Mrs Albert D Boyd became the wife of Charles S Bowman son of Mr and Mrs M H Bowman Rev Dr A S Mulholland officiated Henry D Atwood of Pittsburg presided at the organ The bridesmaids were Miss Matilda Bowman Miss Amy Young of Pittsburg Miss Mabel Gillespie of Allegheny Miss Gertrude Epperson of South Carolina Miss Helen Warren of Virginia and Miss Helen Huston of Uniontown The ushers were Albert D Boyd Dr George O Evans A C Beeson of Uniontown and C W Lynn of Peoria Ill Miss Henrietta Robinson of Fort Sam Houston Texas was maid of honor M H Bowman Jr of Yale was his brother's best man

The bride wore a handsome gown of brocaded duchess satin en train and elaborately trimmed in duchess lace and chiffon She carried a shower bouquet of roses The maid of honor wore a gown of white meteor crepe and carried a bouquet of break of day carnations The bridesmaids were attired in simple but effective dresses of pink mousseline de soie over slips of taffeta and carried shower bouquets of pink carnations Mrs Boyd mother of the bride wore a gown of black lace over white silk and the bridegroom's mother was attired in black lace over black taffeta After the ceremony the bridal party and guests repaired to the Laurel Club rooms where supper was served During the evening the bride threw her bouquet in section to which had been tied a ring a dime and a gold thimble from the balcony of the ballroom Mr and Mrs Bowman left for an extended Eastern trip and will be at home in Uniontown about June 1

The Play

Were the curtain of time rolled back and the performer of 25 years ago to appear on the scene what a revelation would last night's performance have been to him How he would have wondered at the simplicity of arrangements of his day and the magnificence of drapery of the present when a little burnt cork and a banjo constituted a performer while now it requires all the present grandeur of a colossal attraction like Barlow & Wilson's Minstrels to satisfy the public Every aggregation has its stars but none ever then rays brighter than do Barlow & Wilson's magnificent aggregation of star performers—New Orleans Daily Picayune

At the Connellsville Theatre Saturday matinee and night April 18

Strike at Coal Works

Sheriff Irescher of Westmoreland county has 20 deputies on guard at the Keystone coal works near Greensburg Pa where miners are on strike

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town

John Forst is in Dunbar today

William Scott is in Pittsburg today

Katherine Frisbee is in Pittsburg today

A G Scattergood of Vanderbilt is in town today

John W Keffer of Dunbar is in town on business

Exquisite artistic millinery at very pleasing prices The Fair

Miss Alice Getchell went to Pittsburg today for a short visit with friends

Our garments fitted and made to perfection our prices fit all small sized purses The Fair

Among the Dunbar visitors who are in town today are Grover Gordon John Sutcoch and Miss Coldren

Don't fail to see the best and latest designs in hats at Hyatt & Smith's next door to the Wyman Hotel

So early in the season and already we offer sixty below our would be competitors prices in suits The Fair

To appreciate perfection in woman tailor art you ought to see the models of perfection in ladies skirts at The Fair

Mrs W P Marten is entertaining a number of friends at an afternoon tea today at her home on South Pittsburg street

Exclusiveness appeals to all people of taste We are the only exclusive ladies outfitters in the Connellsville region Our prices are right The Fair

Among the Dawson people in town today are Misses Margaret and Belle Newmyer Cora Laughrey Mr and Mrs Boyd and Mr and Mrs John Duncan

Supt J S Carroll is visiting the schools of town today Connellsville is about the last town to be visited on account of there being a longer term here than in the country districts which were visited earlier in the season Superintendent Carroll expresses himself as being greatly pleased with the showing made by the local schools

The remains of J C Owen who died from typhoid fever at the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburg Wednesday were taken to his home at Morris Plains Md for burial Several friends from Connellsville accompanied the remains and will attend the funeral Friday Mr Owen was a popular and trusted employe of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad

F B Casady general superintendent of motive power on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad with headquarters at Baltimore is here today looking over the local division of the road He is collecting information relative to the results obtained from the new 2600 class engines recently put into commission on the Pittsburg and Connellsville division

POPLAR GROVE

Engineers Start Work Laying Out Delightful Rural Suburb

Engineers started yesterday to plot and survey the 40 acre tract of land situated just north of town on what is known as Hutchinson street at an early date. This property is one over that invites. All from the Shaw farm and is the most desirable plot of property for rural homes to be found near Connellsville The ground is high and dry with a gradual slope which affords excellent drainage Poplar shade trees will be placed on each side of all streets and the place will be known as Poplar Grove

A six inch water main will convey water to this property to insure an abundant supply Quarter acre lots wide streets and alleys street car service and all the conveniences of town are possible without the high taxation Many home seekers are looking this ground over daily but no lots will be sold until Saturday May 2 on which date ten lots at $100 20 lots at $125 20 lots at $150 and 10 lots at $175 will be offered Positively no more lots will be sold from this tract this year Paine & Dunn

Reduced Rates to New Orleans

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the American Medical Association at New Orleans La May 5 to 8 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all stations on its lines to New Orleans on May 1 2 and 3 good going on those dates and good to return reaching original starting point not later than ten days from date of sale at reduced rates By depositing ticket with joint agent at New Orleans between May 1 and May 12 and payment of fifty cents an extension of final return limit to May 30 may be obtained

Valuable Property to Change Hands

Tomorrow at 2 o'clock will be offered at auction to highest bidder the property on Pittsburg street occupied by Rosenblum & Silverman and L Ruttenberg fronting about 30 feet and extending 119 feet to an alley Kobacker's are negotiating to lease Connellsville this is the reason for their selling

Wanted

WANTED—TWENTY FIVE [illegible] wages Address [illegible] Connellsville [illegible]

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOKKEEPER or other clerical work [illegible] Address BEEMAN [illegible] [illegible] Connellsville 17 april 1t

For Rent

FOR RENT—A GOOD SEVEN ROOM house corner Main and Seventh streets New Haven Inquire of A J WALOSKI [illegible] New Haven Pa 17 april 1t

For Sale

FOR SALE—FOUR PAIR OF HEAVY draft horses weight from 1500 to 1600 pounds each Also five fresh cows with calves Will sell 2 large sows and 8 pigs five weeks old Inquire of A J HICKS Dickerson Run apr16 17 18 20 21 22

THIS STORE CLOSES AT 6 P M

STORE NEWS

Some Bargain News for you this week and when this store talks bargains you know there's no exaggeration Several different reasons for these under priced articles Some come to us under price because of our buying in large quantities Others we make the price cut because we want to close them out quickly But the saving is to you whatever the reason and these cut prices are bargains because they are needed by you now—not later on

Separate Jackets

at $5 00 Originally they belonged to the Jacket Suits but skirts have been sold from them and we want to close them out Figuring them according to the suit price they ought to bring from $8 00 to $12 00 Nearly every size and you know how necessary a light weight Jacket will be in the few weeks to come

Odd Skirts.

Skirts that are odd for the same reason that the above jackets are odd and marked at the same price—$5 00 Of course there are no skirts in this lot that exactly match the jackets but some come so near that you can buy a suit or $10 00 that's worth double and in some cases more too

Lace Curtains.

No limited quantity, or we've plenty of them but we are honest in the belief that we can save you from 50c up to $2 00 on every pair of Curtains you buy here at $2 00 or over the pair—know this to be a fact and can prove it to you Large buying makes this possible Take the Curtains at $2 00 the pair—7 different patterns to choose from and no matter how much or how little you may know about Curtains this think you can see 50c saved on every pair you buy Same true of the Curtains at $3 00 only the saving is $1 00 on every pair Easy to say this unless prove it you read it but the Curtains are here to prove it More Curtains but more than we can tell you all see elsewhere in this vicinity

Shirt Waist Suits.

Maybe it's wrong to tell about them as a bargain at all because they are so new and here's not in extra large number of them but how the maker ever made these and sold them to us so that we can sell them at $4 00 is more than we can understand Made of Bates Gingham colors red and blue The Waist has four rows of tucks in front and two rows in the back—six tucks in each row—fancy stitched in black between the rows of tucks—new sleeve—Skirt full and wide and fancy black stitching to match the Waist—almost $4 00 worth of work alone Very little profit to us at this price—must be very little to the maker—but it's a big bargain to the one who buys the Suit

Under-Priced Table Linen.

Satin Damask, grass bleached—65 inches wide and 60c the yard That describes the biggest Linen bargain we've had to tell you about for some time Linen prices have been advancing for some time This would be a bargain at old time prices—a better one now Five patterns to choose from and no more after these are gone

Black Taffeta Silk Petticoats for $5.

25 of these that are made of best quality Taffeta with pleated ruffle and dust ruffle—lengths 40 42 and 44 inches It's a $5 bargain that you'll appreciate

Want you to look over this small list of bargains They are not usual neither is there any exaggeration in calling them bargains You'll say so too when you see them

DUNN'S CASH STORES

129, 131, 133 N. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA

SMART SHOES AT $2.00

For Women who want Shoes that they know to be **stylish** and **good fitting**, Shoes that are **well made** and retain their shape, that **look well** and **feel well**, make no mistake in coming to us The variety of **Two Dollar** Shoes we show you in the new toes, new heels and latest trimmings are a pleasing lot and we want you to see them Better wearing Shoes can't be produced at $2 00 All sizes and all widths.

Every Pair Sold on Merit Only.

NORRIS & HOOPER,

104 West Main Street, Connellsville, Pa.

Oriental Rugs

There isn't anything else that adds so much to the artistic completion of a correctly decorated room Our stock is the largest ever assembled in Pittsburg All prices—$5, $8 and $10 up to $1,500 and $2,000.

Carpets and Draperies

The new spring stock is ready for your choosing Everything the imagination can conceive—400 patterns and colorings, from the lowest-priced Ingrains and Tapestries to finest Axminsters and Wiltons, with draperies to match Best Body Brussels from $1 to $1 45 Big bargains in last year's patterns

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

We make and lay carpets in your town without extra charge, except for the car fare of workmen Not one cent of freight to pay.

Oliver McClintock Company

21[illegible] Pittsburg Pa.

Facts

GETTING RIGHT AT THE FACTS

You're not going for love of money anything that will tickle the palates of your customers more than our brands of butter White Clover Monogram Shield [illegible] Girl whichever you choose to test—or all of these brands we are ready to abide your decision because we're satisfied that the quality is there and prices are correct

Nothing brings a grocer more justly deserved odium than spoiling his trade with bad eggs It's a penny wise pound foolish policy to do that when it's so easy and economical to get the right kind We know no others—wouldn't bother with 'em

Apples are fine and especially welcome as blood purifiers in these spring days Pippins from sunny generous Missouri Baldwins Ben Davis and Wine Saps from the Empire State and the great breezy West will put new life and snap into your trade at prices that need no argument

P S—Special prices on ice in car loads to coal and coke companies for filling ice houses March and April shipments Ice making capacity 80 tons daily

HYGEIA COMPANY,

Uniontown, Pa.

Phone 14 for Prices Wagon Service for City Delivery.

We Can Interest You

If you will allow us Look over the following prices, come in and examine the goods and if they are not equal in quality to anything you are offered at much higher prices don't buy

4 lbs large Prunes	25	7 lbs Rolled Oats	25c
4 lbs Country Dried Apples	25	1 box Wheat Biscuits	1c
3 lbs Choice Apricots	25c	1 box Excelo Flakes	0c
3 lbs Muscatel Raisins	25c	3 doz boxes Matches	25c
3 lbs Evaporated Apples	25	6 large sacks Salt	25c
3 lbs Currants	25	1 lb Choice Rio Coffee	10c
2 lbs Evaporated Blackberries	25	5 cans Eagle Milk	50c
2 lbs fancy Pears	25c	boxes Cocoanut	25c
1 lb fancy Peeled Peaches	15c	7 cakes Scourall	25c

White Satin Flour, large sack $1 15

Davidson's Popular Grocery

109 W. MAIN STREET.

GRAUSTARK.

BUSINESS COMDITION.

Concentration of Industrial Concerns in Land Act as Trade Ballast

MITIGATE ERA OF DEPRESSIONS.

Corporations a Necessity to Modern Methods of Commerce—Evils Exist In Unlimited Power of Capital Court Control Necessary

St Paul April 17—William R Merriam, formerly governor of Minnesota and until very recently United States census commissioner was the principal speaker before the St Paul Credit Men s association banquet in this city his audience also including the members of the Minneapolis Credit Men s association, who were the guests of the local organization This was Governor Merriam's first public utterance since he laid down the responsibilities of the census bureau to enter again into general business on his address on The Present Business Condition and Financial Outlook gave him a wide range

After speaking briefly of the unprecedented prosperity and the great industrial combinations he said

Concentration of Industrial Concerns

"I cannot help coming to the conclusion that the concentration in few hands of so large a number of the industrial concerns throughout the country must have an effect like ballast on a ship to steady the situation that the evolution, which has gone on so constantly during the last half dozen years by which all sorts of productive institutions have been welded has resulted in placing the management of these large concerns in the hands of men of the highest experience and of great financial strength This is emphasized by the further fact that certain industries like the iron and steel controlled as they are by a comparatively few men owning the raw material and the transportation facilities and finally producing the manufactured article must be in a better situation to restrict the output and adjust supply to demand with less loss than could possibly be expected were their constituent companies resolved into original ownership with consequent competition and cost of administration

Mitigate Financial Depressions

In other words is it not a fact that the iron and steel industry that the sugar industry that the combinations producing various articles of necessity will be enabled by their financial strength as well as by their able management to adjust the affairs of their corporations to changing conditions and thus put off or at least greatly mitigate the era of depression which which has been so common in our country as far back as 1837

I am not unmindful of the necessity of corporations to our modern methods of commerce but I desire distinctly to disavow any disposition to underestimate the possible evils which may overshadow the state from the greed of ownership or the dangers that may threaten the public by reason of the unlimited power that follows the massing of capital as well as the disaster which inevitably comes to the citizen in the attempt either to stifle competition or to destroy an unfortunate rival"

After speaking of various attendant evils he continued

Immense Power of Corporations

"Many of these great corporations do not deal in articles that can be considered monopolies but the very mass of their capital and their ability to destroy practically give them the broadest field for operations and I connot help coming to the conclusion that under the opinion promulgated by the court of appeals so few days since in which it is distinctly pointed out that while the right of private ownership is bestowed upon every citizen of this country under the constitution no man and no corporation shall be permitted to utilize that ownership to the extent of injuring his neighbor or menacing the public good I would have you fully appreciate just what this means for if I am right in this contention no corporation doing business in the states can destroy its rival by a disastrous cut in prices or raise prices for products to the point of oppression Hence the conclusion that the courts in this country while recognizing the right of corporations to transact their legitimate business in no way restraining them yet whenever they touch the citizen in such a way as to prove a public menace in that moment become enemies to the commonwealth disobedient to the law and are liable to be destroyed The conclusion is irresistible that in the central government rests the power to determine that the individual or the corporation transacting any business which is interstate in its character cannot hold maintain or operate any property that results in injury to the public Surely such a contention in effect materially tends to centralize power in the national government"

He spoke at some length of credits so-called trusts and the management of the big banking institutions

Ball Player Hanged for Murder

Kansas City April 17—John (Bud) Taylor the baseball player who murdered Ruth Nollard a girl who had rejected him was hanged in the county jail Five hundred persons witnessed the execution

ROOSEVELT APPEARS IN CAMP.

Returns from Trip in Excellent Health — Off for the Geysers.

Cinnabar Mont April 17—President Roosevelt came into Fort Yellowstone appearing in splendid condition and enthusiastic over the good time he has had Secretary Loeb met him at Major Pitcher's headquarters and the two transacted some routine business the first the president has done with his secretary since he went into the park

Major Pitcher reports that the president and his party have just returned from their eight days horseback trip in the north of the park and along the Yellowstone The party consisted of the president Major Pitcher Mr John Burroughs with an orderly the scouts and the packers with the mule train All of the party are in excellent health and not an accident of any kind occurred On entering the park the president informed Major Pitcher that he would not under any circumstances fire a shot at anything while in the park and he took neither rifle nor shotgun with him The party had some good fishing and the president and Mr Burroughs spent a large part of their time following and watching at close quarters the great herds of game chiefly elk but also mountain sheep deer and antelope The party start for the interior of the park to visit the geysers and perhaps the fall of the Yellowstone They will go in sleighs on horseback or in skis according to the condition of the snow

Millions More Than Cost.

New York April 17—The Evening Post prints the following The complete findings of Eugene A Philbin as counsel for certain stockholders of the Metropolitan Street Railway company were made public In conclusion he says calculations and estimates clearly indicate that the Metropolitan company has claimed for 1902 an expenditure of cash for change of motive power exceeding by more than $1 000 000 the true cost thereof

Quiet at Joplin

Joplin Mo April 17—It was feared that the mob which lynched a tramp negro here and ruined the homes of negroes and run most every negro out of Joplin would resume the [illegible] Mayor [illegible] issued a proclamation calling a meeting of [illegible] citizens to organize 100 vigilantes for preservation of order in the city This was done and although throngs began to fill the streets there was no sign of disorder

Opening of Canal Navigation

Albany April 17—The Erie Oswego and Champlain canals will be opened for navigation on May 2

National League Games

New York Brooklyn rain
Boston Philadelphia rain
Pittsburg 7 Cincinnati
Chicago 1 St Louis 2

THE MARKETS

Pittsburg April 16

CORN—No 2 yellow shelled 45@46c No 2 yellow ear 47@48c

OATS—No 2 white 40@41c No 3 38½@39c No 4 37@38c

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Premiums on U S Bonds	1 10[illegible] 3[illegible]
Stocks securities etc	2 [illegible] 00
Banking house furniture and fixtures	8 [illegible]
Due from approved reserve agents	[illegible] 871 01
Checks and other cash items	80 82
Notes of other National Banks	500 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents	118 81
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank viz	
Specie $4 532 70	
Legal tender notes 1 500 00	6 032 70
Redemption Fund with U S Treasurer (5% of circulation)	625 00
Total	$138 810 2[illegible]

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Capital stock paid in	$50 000 00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	1 [illegible] 61
National Bank Notes outstanding	1[illegible] 00 00
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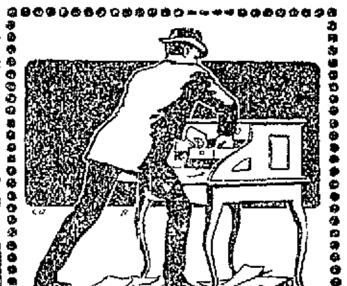

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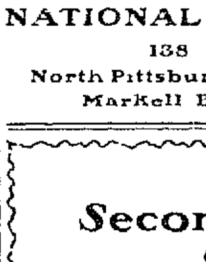

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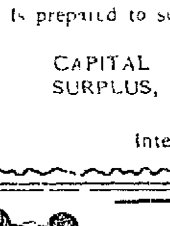

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SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—Griswold a young man of New Orleans with rank socialistic tendencies has written a book on the subject and after many weeks of fruitless search for a publisher has about given up. Downcast and hungry he meets an old friend Bairbridge who offers him a loan. Griswold refuses it although he frankly says he will turn to stealing if nothing turns up soon.

CHAPTER II.—Bairbridge tells Griswold a detective and an old friend the story of Griswold's life theories and hard luck.

CHAPTER III.—Two days after Griswold boldly forces the president of the Lyons state bank to give him $100,000 upon pain of death.

CHAPTER IV.—He safely leaves the bank disguises himself as a sailor and eludes capture.

CHAPTER V.—He decides to go to some small town to work among the people and pursue his sociological studies. He goes to the levee and changes places with a laborer on a boat about to leave on a trip up the river. Just as they are about to start Miss Charlotte Farnham of Wahaska Miss boards the boat. Griswold recognizes her as a young lady who was in the bank when he committed the robbery. Her beauty and evident strength of character greatly impress him and he decides to see and learn more of her by going to her home town.

CHAPTER VI.—Charlotte reads of the bank robbery and recognizes Griswold as the robber. She declines to write to the bank president telling him of her discovery.

CHAPTER VII.—Griswold fears that he has been recognized and decides to leave the boat.

CHAPTER VIII.—Charlotte cannot bring herself to send the letter telling of her discovery as she has become interested in Griswold.

CHAPTER IX.—Her conscience greatly troubles her and she is just about to mail the letter when a heroic deed of Griswold's stops her.

CHAPTER X.—Next day they accidentally meet. She tells him of her intentions and he says he does not believe he did wrong. He silently hopes she will inform the authorities to uphold his high opinion of her. She does so and sees him taken away by the police at St. Louis.

CHAPTER XI.—With the assistance of [illegible] money he makes his escape.

CHAPTER XII.—He again disguises himself and goes to a hotel.

CHAPTER XIII.—He arranges to go to Wahaska, resume his proper name and settle down. He intends to meet Miss Farnham, with whom he has fallen in love and prove his theories to her.

CHAPTER XIV.—Margery Grierson a young and pretty miss is leader of one faction of Wahaska society. Her father is one of the town's leading citizens. The Raymers and the Farnhams belong to the older and more exclusive set and Margery is intent on making them recognize her leadership. Griswold becomes seriously sick immediately upon his arrival at Wahaska.

CHAPTER XV.—Margery with the aid of her father who is president of the bank arranges a scheme to humble the Raymers.

CHAPTER XVI.—Griswold gradually recovers and meets many of the people of the town among them the Raymers. He becomes very friendly with Edward Raymer manager of the iron works. He learns that they stand on the same ground regarding the problem of master and man.

CHAPTER XVII.—One evening Raymer tells Griswold of a business trouble of his and of his need of money. Griswold agrees to furnish the money if Raymer will take him in partnership.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Griswold becomes a silent partner and is invited with the Raymers to dine with the Farnhams one evening. He meets Charlotte but she does not recognize him. After dinner he sees Grierson's launch pass on the lake near by and in it he recognizes Mr. Gaylorith the New Orleans banker whom he had robbed.

CHAPTER XIX.—Detective Griffin takes up the search for the robber. He suspects a woman in the case and for reasons finally traces Miss Farnham to her home.

CHAPTER XX.—He hears her story and believes he robber is in love with her and thinking he may come to that town decides to stay awhile. The Grierson Raymer trouble has become very bitter in addition to Raymer's troubles his men go out on a strike.

CHAPTER XXI.—Griswold with Margery's assistance prepares his book for publication.

CHAPTER XXII.—Griswold learns of a scheme of Grierson to sell Galbraith some practically worthless timber land for $[illegible] 000 and has secured a company to sell it to Galbraith.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Griffin and Griswold become well acquainted and the former tells Griswold that Grierson is behind the strike trouble.

CHAPTER XXIV.—Charlotte tells Griswold Griffin's mission to Wahaska although she does not suspect him. He learns from her speech that she loved the robber she had met on the boat.

CHAPTER XXV.—Griswold saves Griffin from being killed by the strikers for witnessing an attempt of theirs to burn the iron works. They charge him with the crime.

CHAPTER XXVI.—Margery and Edward Raymer have become quite interested in each other and Margery asks her father to call off his war on Raymer.

CHAPTER XXVII.—Griswold warns Galbraith that he is about to be swindled in the land deal with Grierson.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

She made a long round in the phaeton driving herself. It began on the manufacturing side of town and ended there, and was a house-to-house visitation in the quarter occupied by the cottages of the iron works men. She saw few of the men but she did better. She saw and talked with the wives of the men. What she said to the women and what her saying of it was like to accomplish was set forth in a brief conference with Edward Raymer at the iron works office—a conference with which the morning of conferences ended.

She found Raymer alone in the office and was glad enough for that.

"I don't know what you will think of me for meddling in this," she said when she had told him what she had been doing.

"You may say very positively that it wasn't any of my business; but I saw or thought I saw a chance for a certain to do what all you men could n't seem to do. So I did my part and now if you'll do yours I believe the trouble will stop right where it is."

Raymer avoided the business part of it, and gave praise where praise was due, telling her and telling his eyes say more than his words.

"I think you are the bravest little woman I ever heard of," he said warmly. "I haven't the least doubt in the world as to the success of your errand, and no one but a woman—no one but yourself—could have made it. You may be sure that Griswold and I will do our part."

"If you will, I think we may consider the strike settled," she rose and made as if he would go but that was only because her courage threatened to fail her while yet the major part of her errand was undone. She fought a brief battle with herself and then went back to sit down beside him.

"There is something else," she began nervously, "and I don't know just how to say it. May I say anything I please?"

"Certainly. The privilege would be yours in any case, but you have just earned it a thousand times over."

"You—you have had some dealings with the bank, have you?"

"With some of the officers, you mean. Yes, we keep our account there."

"I didn't mean that. I meant—in the matter of—a loan."

"No, not lately."

She looked the surprise which she did not put into words.

"But you did borrow, you didn't you?"

"Yes."

"And you paid it back."

"I did, or rather we did. Mr. Griswold came into the firm just then and put in enough capital to pay us out of debt."

She was twisting her handkerchief around her fingers and otherwise displaying a degree of embarrassment which was quite foreign to her or to Raymer's knowledge of her.

"Would you mind telling me how much it was?"

"Not at all, it was $95,000."

"So much as that. Somehow I have never thought of Mr. Griswold as a—a capitalist. But it was a good investment for him, wasn't it?"

"It would have been if we had not had this strike."

She paused again and again as one who will not be daunted.

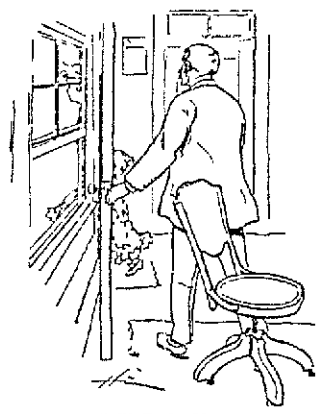
"How much has the strike cost you, Mr. Raymer?"

"A great deal more than it would at almost any other time. We had a number of time contracts with forfeitures, and they have lapsed of course. One hundred thousand dollars wouldn't more than make us whole again."

"So much as that. All of Mr. Griswold's money and more." So much she said, and then she was silent until her nervousness began to be contagious to Raymer. At length she said: "You know Mr. Griswold pretty well and I know him pretty well, too, and I like him. Did he ever tell you how he came to have so much money?"

"Why no. In fact I never thought enough about it to be curious. From himself I rather think he inherited some money from his father, and that accounts sufficiently for his means."

Now Grierson had been more confidential with Margery than he had ever been with his business partner, so she knew the story of the silver patrimony and its spending. But what has her father written of Margery Grierson has never been written of, it has not shown her to be far more discreet than her sex or her age would bespeak. And because she was wiser than her generation she went swiftly aside from Griswold's affairs.



SHE RAN OUT

"I think that is all I had to say," she said, rising again. "All excepting one other thing, and that is harder to say than all the rest."

Raymer rose with her and took her hand again.

"After what you have done, it mustn't be hard for you to say anything to me, Miss Margery."

"But this thing is hard—for me, not for you. You say you keep your account at the Wahaska National. Keep it somewhere else, Mr. Raymer."

He bowed in ready acquiescence.

"I'll transfer it at once—and without asking why I should do it," he agreed.

"But—but it is right that you should know why," she faltered. "My father does not like you. Need I say more?"

He pressed the hand he was still holding and smiled down upon her from his athletic height.

"You needn't have said that much. I have every reason to know it. And that makes your loyalty and goodness to me all the more wonderful to me, Miss Margery. I hope the time will come when I can show you how much I appreciate—"

She snatched her hand away and turned from him. "That is the point, it not be was slipping into the conventional attitude and it was more than she could bear just then. "Good by," she said abruptly and before he could offer to help her she ran out, sprung into the low phaeton and drove rapidly away.

Raymer stood at the office door and watched her out of sight. Then he went back to his desk and sat down to fall into a musing excursion which led him far away from the matter in hand—the matter of the strike and its probable composition in terms of peace. At the end of the reverie one of its conclusions slipped into speech.

"They may say what they please about her—the mother and Grierson—and the most of the thing, they may be true, but was down in her heart underneath it all I know what a nobleman of trouble and hard living there is a vein of the pure stuff. I guess I'm [illegible] sorry that I'd ever been in love with her, and yet—"

CHAPTER XXIX.

As it happened the church party in which Mr. Andrew Galbraith was to be a guest had to be postponed a week, on account of the weather. Though there was no storm during the afternoon there was a good promise of one, so Margery went about to ask the invited ones to give the afternoon of the following day for her.

While she was doing this the good results of her morning's work among the wives of the strikers culminated, first in a meeting of the men in Labor Hall and a little later in a visit of a deputation of the strikers to the office of the iron works. Griswold and Raymer were both there, and when the trouble came to be discussed without heat and with a mutual disposition to give and take it was wonderful how the difficulties were surmounted each in its turn.

The upshot of the conference was a compromise duly acceded to by all concerned, and the following morning the hideous steam siren of the iron works announced to all and sundry within a radius of half a dozen miles that the long strike was ended.

It was characteristic of the two partners that the relaxing of the strain affected them in diametrically opposite ways. Raymer flung himself into the work of the office with all the joyous abandon of a schoolboy whose vacation has been over long. But Griswold took a holiday, resting in his release from the strain and meaning to spend the better part of the day alone on the lake in his canoe.

Oddly enough, he was diverted from this plan not once but a dozen times during the forenoon. First he had to go with Raymer to be present at the opening of the firm's account at the Farmers and Mechanics bank. Then he chanced to meet Griffin and rather he would have made a more graceful of it had he stopped to smoke a cigarette with the detective in the lobby of the Star Times.

What about everything in general and nothing in particular went with the cigarette burning, and it was at the very end of it that Griswold noticed a most astonishing change come upon his companion's manner. A change so marked that he thought Griffin was taken suddenly ill—thought it and said so.

Griffin slowly shook his head in denial.

"I guess it must be a certain suggestion," he said evasively. "You have a very vivid way of describing things, Mr. Griswold, and you're telling me about that attack of typhoid gave me the sympathetic qualms."

This was what he said but it was no more than half of the truth. It was not the fact of the fever but some mention of the time of it that had moved him, and when Griswold was gone he sauntered over to the clerk's desk to ask a question.

"You told me once, a while ago, that Mr. Griswold was sick here in the house," he began. "Was that last spring, or was it late in the winter?"

"I don't remember, but I'll look and see," said the clerk. And he looked and saw, and this time gave his questioner the correct date of Griswold's arrival in Wahaska.

Griffin moved away with his hands deep in his pockets and his lips drawn into a thin straight line. This was the last broken link in the chain of evidence, and Griswold dropped word and the clerk's answer had welded it. Kenneth Griswold was the man who had robbed the Lyons bank, who had exchanged identities with John Gaylorith on the Belle Julie, who had talked with Charlotte Farnham and had fallen straightway in love with her, who had disappeared in St. Louis only to reappear in Wahaska 24 hours later.

Truly he was the man to whose finding Griffin had given many weeks of more or less valuable time. But, alas! for the ends of even handed justice, he was also the man who had lately saved the life of one Griffin.

Griswold went his way from the hotel, little thinking that he had blown the forge fire for the welding of the broken link. It was so near noon that he thought he would go to Mrs. Holcomb's for luncheon before going out in the Sprite. But when he was fairly in sight of the Holcomb gate he was again turned aside. This time it was Dr. Farnham, loosing his horse at the Digby's hitching post.

"You're worse than a stranger," said the good doctor, "and you haven't a busy man's excuse. Get in here and let me take you home for a bite of bread and butter. Charlotte was asking only this morning if you had left town."

Griswold did as he was told to do, thinking himself more and more a puppet of chance for that day. At the house on the lake bank he was made very welcome, notwithstanding he had not darkened its doors since the night of the dinner party and the fire. Charlotte was cordial—nay, if anything more, was evidently glad to see him, this though he made sure that some remains of the barrier he had raised in his offending was still between them.

After luncheon they strolled out on the lakeside veranda and later, when the doctor had driven away and Miss Gilman had gone in for her siesta, Griswold made a bold proposal.

"The afternoon is perfect, Miss Charlotte, and the breeze has fallen to a lady's sigh. Will you trust yourself to go out with me in the Sprite?"

Now Charlotte could be in convention as Miss Grierson was, less of the conventions, but there were many things within to be said to Mr. Kenneth Griswold, so she made the possible opportunity an excuse. So she put the [illegible] aside and said she would go.

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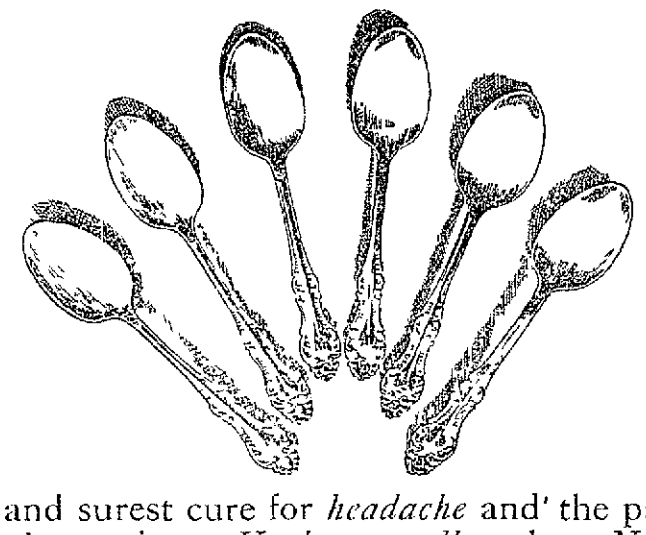

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At Dunbar Sunday Will Be Attended by Many Ministers.

M. E. CONGREGATION'S WORK.

Services Will Continue Throughout All of Next Week—Names of the Speakers Who Take Part in the Ceremonies.

The new Methodist Episcopal Church at Dunbar will be formally dedicated next Sunday, April 19. The members of the church are to be congratulated on the erection of so handsome an edifice. Although the congregation is comparatively small, they needed a new place of worship and went to work with a determination that is bound to succeed and the result of it all is that they now have one of the finest churches in the county and one which will stand as a monument to those whose perseverance and untiring efforts made it a reality. While the members of the church gave liberally toward the enterprise, there were friends on the outside who contributed most liberally. Methodists in neighboring towns also gave considerable aid.

While the pastor, Rev. William A. Prosser, was the prime mover in the enterprise, his efforts would have availed but little had it not been for the hearty co-operation and valuable aid rendered by James D. Ellenberger, Buell Tarr, S. G. Valentine, John S. Carroll, W. H. Cottom, R. J. McGee, John Leckemby, Mrs. Edith Irons, Mrs. Lillie McGee and all other members of the official board, who also compose the executive committee. A number of committees, including those on decoration, invitation, entertainment and introduction, have been appointed to invite and look after the comfort of the large crowd expected to be at the dedication

Special music has been prepared for the occasion by the home choir, under the direction of S. G. Valentine. The famous Ithaca quartet of Ithaca, N. Y., will also be present. Among the speakers will be Rev. T. N. Boyle of Pittsburg, Rev. A. B. Riker, president of Mt. Union College; Rev. J. F. Murray, presiding elder of the McKeesport district; Rev. C. L. E. Cartwright of Scottdale and Rev. E. G. Loughry of Uniontown. Joseph W. Powell of Buffalo, N. Y., the eminent evangelist and successful leader of dedication exercises, will be in charge and speak at each service.

The Sunday services will begin at 9 A. M. with an informal greeting to Mr. Powell, visiting ministers and friends. At 9.30 there will be a sermon by Rev. T. N. Boyle, followed by an address by Mr. Powell. At 3 P. M. there will be a platform service and Sunday school rally in which Rev. Cartwright, Rev. Murray and Mr. Powell will speak. At 6 P. M. Rev. Loughry will lead the Epworth League. In the evening at 7 P. M. worship and dedicatory service will take place. The sermon will be preached by President A. B. Riker. Mr. Powell will also speak, and this will be followed by the dedication proper by Presiding Elder Murray. Monday evening Mr. Powell will have charge of the meeting. Tuesday evening Rev. George Grant of Madison will preach. Wednesday Rev. J. S. Potts of Confluence; Thursday evening Rev. Cartwright of Scottdale, while the last sermon will be delivered Friday evening by Rev. E. G. Loughry of Uniontown.

SCOTTDALE NEWS.

Foreign Coke Worker at Tip Top Drops Dead While at Work.

Everson, April 17.—A very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's father, Peter Hines, when Lewis Schriver was united in marriage to Miss Mary Ellen Hines. The ceremony which united the couple was officiated by Rev. Father M. A. Lambing of St. John's Church.

A Hungarian worker at Tiptop mine of the H. C. Frick Coke Company died suddenly yesterday morning after drawing an oven and watering his second oven. Heart trouble and cramps are said to have been the cause of his death.

W. A. Myers of the W. A. Myers meat market, 221 Pittsburg street, Connellsville, was here this morning on business. Myers has just finished smoking a large number of hams, sides and shoulders with the old country way of curing meat and will have a lot of it at his meat market on Pittsburg street this afternoon. Families wanting strictly home cured meat by the old process can get it at 221 North Pittsburg street.

Charles H. Wright, the inventor of the triple spring draft for freight cars, has returned from his western trip, where he exhibited his new invention, which has attracted and commanded the attention of railroad men wherever sold. Mr. Wright leaves this evening for Philadelphia, where he is to meet prominent officials of the various railroad lines in this state, and then goes to New York to meet officials of the great Vanderbilt system. The new invention will in the near future be explained in an article illustrated by cuts and drawings fully explaining the invention.

Exhumed the Body.

At Youngstown citizens dug up the grave of John Montgomery, who died of smallpox.

VISIT OF GEN. BADEN-POWELL.

Hero of Mafeking Studying American Cavalry Tactics and Methods. Traveling Incognito.

Washington, April 17.—Major General R. Baden-Powell, the "hero of Mafeking," recently appointed chief of cavalry of the English army, is on a visit to the United States to study American cavalry tactics and methods. In order that he may accomplish his purpose with as little publicity and ceremony as possible he is traveling incognito and unofficially. He arrived here unannounced and registered at the Arlington hotel under an assumed name. He visited the war department and paid his respects to

R. S. S. BADEN-POWELL.

Secretary Root, Lieutenant General Miles and Adjutant General Corbin. General Corbin made the acquintance of General Baden-Powell on his recent visit to England.

The cavalry troops at Fort Myer gave a special exhibition of their proficiency in cavalry drill and tactics for the benefit of the distinguished visitor, who left here to visit the battlefields of Virginia, following the route of the McClellan campaign on the peninsula. He will make a visit to the West Point military academy and will sail for England on the 20th instant.

To Christen the Colorado.

Denver, April 17.—Governor James H. Peabody and family left for Philadelphia, where his eldest daughter, Miss Cora Peabody, will christen the new armored cruiser Colorado on April 25. The party will return to St. Louis for the dedication of the exposition buildings. Governor Peabody will be met there by the members of his staff and the party will return to Denver as guests of President Roosevelt, their special car being attached to the president's train.

Negroes Hold Up Ferryboat.

Washington, Pa., April 17.—Two negro desperadoes, Wilbur Sharp and Cornelius Wilkens, held up a ferryboat in the middle of the Monongahela river, opposite Courtney, on Tuesday night and robbed the passengers of their valuables with drawn revolvers. Isaac Ames, an old man, who resisted, was shot through the left breast and dangerously wounded.

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